



## The Modern Santa Claus

Just look at him dropping "Guarantee" Footwear through the chimney from his airship! Follow his lead, be up-to-date and get a pair of our stylish Boots, Shoes or Slippers for Christmas, whether you want them for yourself or a friend.

Stylish and Classy Shoes and Slippers for women, including the renowned "Laird Schober" makes . . . . .

**\$3.00 TO \$6.50**

Elegant and comfortable feeling shoes and house slippers for men, including the celebrated "EDWIN CLAPP" make.

Slippers \$1.00 to \$2.50 || Shoes \$3.50 to \$7.00

Children's Shoes and Jockey Boots, modish footwear for children of all ages, also Felt Slippers, \$1.00 to \$4.00.

All Purchases Cheerfully Exchanged After Christmas

Remember that a pair of Guarantee Shoes is a joy to the wearer while they last.

Store Open  
Evenings  
Until Xmas

GREATER EL PASO'S  
GREATEST SHOE STORE  
**The Guarantee**  
SHOE COMPANY

### WEDDINGS.

Wednesday evening at 9 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. W. G. Schartz, 1021 Arizona street, Miss Irene L. Aldrich and Gus Schwartz were united in marriage in the presence of friends by Rev. C. L. Overstreet.

The bride has lived in El Paso three years and has made a wide circle of friends.

The groom is connected with the El Paso & Southwestern railroad, and the young couple will make their home in El Paso, at 322 West Missouri street.

R. B. Goode, now of Madera, Mexico, but formerly of Beaumont, Texas, was married Dec. 14, 1910, to Miss Florence L. Dorris, of Beaumont, Texas, at the home of Rev. R. T. Hank, 1107 Arizona street. The couple left Friday for their future home in Madera.

Edward Doolittle and Miss Margaret Mace were quietly married Tuesday afternoon at the residence of Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Hedrick, 816 North Oregon street.

Rev. C. S. Wright performed the ceremony, which was witnessed by a few friends.

A pretty home wedding was that of Miss Beulah Stoker and William Terrence Stanberry, celebrated Wednesday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, 1137 Arizona street.

A large number of friends were in attendance at the ceremony.

The house was beautifully decorated throughout in the bridal colors of green and white.

In the dining room the bay window was transformed into a veritable tower of green, with southern smilax, palms and ferns, and from the center hung an immense bow of white tulle, under which the ceremony was performed.

Just before the ceremony Mrs. Courtney A. Camp very sweetly sang "All for You."

As Mrs. J. A. Barada played the wedding march from Lohengrin, the little ring bearer, Virginia Robinson, entered the parlor holding in one hand a fairy basket filled with carnations, and in the other a callie lily, in the petals of which the ring was embedded.

The bride and groom came in together, the minister, Rev. C. L. Overstreet, awaiting them at the place of celebration.

The bride was handsomely gowned in white edgeworked tulle, with trimmings of real lace, and ornaments of pearls.

The long veil of tulle was held in place with a wreath of orange blossoms and lilies of the valley, and an arm bouquet of bride's roses, lilies of the valley and orchids, in shower effect, was carried.

Following the ceremony refreshments were served, with Misses Katie Stoker and Wilma Elliott presiding at the punch bowl.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Stoker and an artist of recognized ability.

The groom is editor of the Hereford, Texas, Brand. The young couple, who received a large collection of beautiful presents, left immediately after the ceremony for their future home in Hereford, Texas.

Silk waists and fine skirts underlined at the Bee Hive, 208 E. Overland.

Plum pudding candy at McCullough's.

### DINNERS AND LUNCHEONS.

Mrs. C. J. Dean will entertain with a luncheon on Wednesday, in honor of Mrs. W. W. Woods, of Los Angeles.

Mrs. F. J. Feldman and Mrs. Winchester Cooley entertained at a beautiful luncheon on Wednesday, at the home of Mrs. Feldman, complimentary to Mrs. W. W. Woods, of Los Angeles. Covers were laid for 12 guests, and following the luncheon bridge was enjoyed.

In the dining room a motif of red prevailed in the decorations. A basket filled with red carnations and ferns occupied the central position on the table, and the hand decorated place cards were done in red floral design.

Beautiful pictures were given as prizes in the bridge games, Mrs. Lella T. Moore securing the first and Mrs. A. H. Goldstein the second prize.

Mrs. W. W. Woods received the guest prize, also a picture.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Parker celebrated the forty-fourth anniversary of their marriage on last Tuesday evening with dinner, when the honor guests were their three sons, James H. Parker, Frank W. Parker, of Boise, Idaho, and Morris B. Parker.

Mrs. Parker received her guests in her wedding gown worn 44 years ago, and on the dinner table was a part of the wedding bouquet which had been preserved. Other decorations on the beautifully appointed table were pink carnations and ferns.

### CARDS.

Miss Amy Schutz will be the next hostess for the Tuesday evening Bridge club at the home of Miss Marian Campbell.

A prize will be given each month by this club, and last month the winner was Miss Amy Schutz and W. R. Schutz.

The Married Women's Wednesday Bridge club has discontinued its meetings until after Christmas.

Mrs. A. H. Goldstein entertained on Thursday at the last of a series of charmingly arranged bridge parties.

Red carnations and ferns attractively adorned the home, and dainty refreshments were served from the small tables.

The attractive prizes were won by Mrs. William Glasgow and Mrs. E. E. Neff. The consolation prize went to Mrs. S. P. Weisiger.

The guests were: Mesdames William Glasgow, E. E. Neff, C. J. Maple, W. G. Dunn, W. L. Tooley, W. T. Hixson, W. D. Wise, P. E. Hunter, C. M. Newman, Henry Pfaff, Frank Ains, N. Robinson, Margaret B. Stevenson, H. S. Beach, J. Callisher, S. P. Weisiger, M. O. Wright, D. T. White, J. C. Lackland, Miss Agnes Eadie.

Xmas—correct friendly greetings—a picture, our frame, McKee, 408 North Oregon.

Xmas—your picture, our frame—strictly new stock. McKee, 408 North Oregon.

## Need Glasses?

Do you realize what correctly fitted glasses mean to you? For the present they relieve that strain on the eyes; they stop that headache which you cannot account for, and cure that growing nervousness by resting the muscles of your overworked eyes. For the future they insure good eyesight—prevent ultimate eye failure and keep your temporary eye weakness from becoming chronic.

**"Ask Segall"**

El Paso Optical Co.

Est. 1901

Pioneer Plaza. Opp. Sheldon

SHOT AT YOUR LEISURE, SELECT SOMETHING WORTH WHILE A Wide Variety of Suitable Gifts Can Be Found at Scott White & Co.

Again, this year, we propose to make this store the easy solution to gift buying. Our holiday display is now at its height and hundreds of gifts are shown. It is here that you find something different, and something of unquestioned quality. Another advantage of buying here is that you shop at your leisure and are never importuned to buy. Briefly stated, some of the selections are toilet articles, including finest imported perfumery and toilet waters, Toilet sets and individual pieces, offered in wide variety. This year we are showing Fountain Pens that will make highly appreciative gifts. We have named only a few of the many items—Come and see the rest. Scott White & Co., 204 Mills street.

**G. W. GEIGER**

EL PASO, TEXAS.

Furniture Packed, Moved, Stored, Forwarded, Repaired.

Office Furniture bought and sold.

Shop and Office:

City Transfer

First and Ochoa Sts.

Office, Bell Tel. 2400.

Auto 1509.

Res. Tel.—Bell 2494-M.

FIRST CLASS WORK ONLY

# SOCIETY

### PARTIES.

Little Anne Magoffin very pleasantly entertained a number of her small friends on Wednesday afternoon at a birthday party.

A "Donkey contest" was among the enjoyable diversions of the afternoon, and delicious refreshments were served. Those in attendance were: Enid, Marion, Patsie, Roselle and Geraldine Ainsa, Katherine and Elizabeth Pfaff, Joseph, Octavia, Harriet, Ned and Billy Glasgow, Nancy Williams, Lydia and Mary Happer, Laura Latta, Margaret Neff, Louie Lawton, Helen Reading and Billy Berrier.

Miss Florence Reed entertained most delightfully with a shower on Thursday afternoon, complimentary to Miss Lily Brown, a bride of the latter part of the month.

Much cleverness was displayed in the telegrams of congratulation written to the bride elect, in which only the letters forming the groom's name were used. A basket covered with white and decorated with green leaves and a big red satin bow, was presented to the bride elect, and was found to contain all sorts of beautiful miscellaneous gifts from her friends.

Christmas bells were used in the decorations of the home, and delicious refreshments were served.

Those in attendance were: Mesdames J. L. Campbell, Charles Fraser, A. J. Fraser, E. M. Fraser, Morgan, Mylott, R. R. Webster, J. P. McFadyen, H. J. Darwood, Thomas Finney, Sidney Hockett, Wimm, J. F. Miller, H. M. Reed, Miss Marian Campbell and Miss Beatie Webster.

A Christmas play for the children is to be given next Wednesday at 4 p. m. at St. Clement's parish house, on Campbell and Montana streets, by the El Paso School for Girls.

The play, "To Let and the Elms," by Elsie Hobart, from a story by Susan Coolidge in an early St. Nicholas. The scene is the interior of a peasant home. The cast follows:

Mother . . . . . Lucille Duffy

Toinette . . . . . Rosalie Behr

Marie . . . . . Elsie Reese

Jeannette . . . . . Elsie Goodman

Pierre . . . . . Mary Kranshor

Mark . . . . . Alice Brown

The Elms . . . . . Clara Hawkins

Mislette . . . . . Margreta Kerr

Dewdrop . . . . . Lydia Happer

Icicle . . . . . Laura Latta

The school will sing English and German Christmas carols between the acts,

and at the close of the play.

Mrs. J. L. Campbell will entertain with a shower on Thursday afternoon, complimentary to Miss Lily Brown.

Miss Rose Frankel entertained a few friends at a delightful whist party in honor of Miss Sadie Baron. The first prize was won by Bert Herskovitz, the second going to Miss Annie Swatt. Refreshments were served after the game. Those present were: Misses Sadie Baron, Annie Swatt, Bessie Baron, Estelle Levy, Lillian Givens, Messrs. Ben Swatt, Arthur and Irving Block, Bert Herskovitz, Sam Swatt, Joe Blangrand and Mr. and Mrs. I. and L. Laskin.

The Elks will give a New Year's eve ball in their club rooms on Saturday night, December 31, for members, their families, sweethearts and friends. Refreshments will be served and to make things lively when the clock strikes out the old year, there will be fireworks and horns to help make a noise. The committees in charge of the ball are: Arrangement Committee—H. Y. Ellis, H. E. Christie, Jake Kaufman. Reception Committee—C. E. Kelly, Edward Kneezell, Chas. W. Marshall. Floor Committee—Clyde Holmes, Maury Kemp, Francis B. Gallagher, W. H. Fryer.

### OUT OF TOWN VISITORS.

Mrs. H. M. Reed, of Guthrie, Okla., has arrived to spend the winter visiting her son, W. R. Reed and family.

Robert F. Potter is here from Dallas to spend the holiday season as the guest of his aunt, Mrs. B. F. Darbyshire.

Mrs. B. M. Worham has as her guest Miss Olga Womack, of Taylor, Texas, who will spend some time here.

En route to Tucson, Ariz., to spend the winter, Frank J. Riggsby, of Stanford, Ky., has been the guest for a few days of his aunt, Mrs. R. P. Johnston, and cousin, Mrs. W. H. Pember, of Magoffin avenue.

Dr. and Mrs. F. W. Gallagher have as their guests their aunt, Mrs. Hiram McCollum, and her daughter, Miss Kathleen McCollum, of Lockport, N. Y., who will spend several months here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. White had as their guest for a few days their sister, Miss Lizzie Lee White, of Denver, who was en route to Guaymas, Mexico.

### RETURNING EL PASOANS.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Peabody, who have been visiting the principal cities of the east the last few weeks, are expected home Sunday.

W. A. White is in the city from Grand Falls, Texas.

Mrs. E. K. Talbot has returned from a sojourn of several months in California.

Mrs. Peyton F. Edwards is at home from a three months' stay at Silver City, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. LeNoir returned home Sunday from a five weeks visit at Torreon, Mexico.

### YOU WON'T HAVE TO WAIT.

We have an increased force of experienced people to prevent you having to wait during the holiday rush. The Elite Parlors.

## A True Reason

Why I can sell Jewelry for less than others.

Having small expense during the year, I do not have to put large profits on my goods during this time of the year to make up for the loss during the dull season.

I make a specialty of solid gold and diamond jewelry and can save you money on that class of goods.

**BEN MILLER**

Cor. Texas and Stanton.

P. S.—If you don't buy of me, we both lose money.

### EL PASOANS AWAY.

Mrs. Richard Caples left Wednesday for Detroit to spend Christmas with her son, William Caples, who is attending the Detroit university.

Mrs. S. C. McCurdy left for her former home in Washington, D. C., to visit relatives and friends. Later she will go to New York and Philadelphia and will be absent all winter.

Charles N. Bassett left Saturday for a short sojourn in New York.

Edward D. Hodge left Thursday for Virginia, where he will spend the holiday season.

Xmas—correct friendly greetings—a picture, our frame, McKee, 408 North Oregon.



## Make a Present

that is worth while and that present will be an automobile to yourself or to your family, but be sure you are right before you buy any car. That is why we want to show you the good points of the Overland machine.

Christy Automobile Company, Inc.

Repairing

Accessories and Supplies

M. B. Christy, Mgr. Both Phones.

ON your gift lists there are always people to whom you have no idea what to give. You cudgel your brains in vain and, finally, just at the last moment, you rush out and buy something, anything, the first thing you see.

A FEW minutes in the "Feldman Gift Shop" Monday will do away with all such unlovely giving. You will find here things of beauty, quaint things, things that will please because of their very beauty and rarity, novel things, interesting things, things of great practical value. While it is impossible to print a complete list of all the gift things to be found here, we do mention a few of the lines.

Mirrorscopes, which are simply "magic lanterns" in which no special prepared plate is required but any picture, post card, newspaper clipping, etc., can be used. If you are seeking a gift that will give pleasure to the whole family, select a mirrorscope. Different sizes—priced \$3.00 to \$20.00.

Framed pictures. A good picture artistically framed is a gift acceptable to most everyone. You will see here a wonderful array of framed pictures—water colors, oil paintings, the soft, rich sepia prints—ranging in price all the way from \$1.00 to \$250.00.

Books. Do you know some one who loves richly bound, beautiful books? We have a goodly number of books from the famous Mosher Press, Portland, Maine.

Terra cotta plaques, something unique, represent famous English scenes, many of them scenes described in Dickens' novels.

Cordova leather goods. In this exquisite hand tooled leather, we are showing many handsome gifts. We mention only a few of them—easel fotograf frames, fotograf cases, fotograf mats, desk sets, hand bags, table mats, pillows, wallets, purses, card cases, cigar and cigarette cases, watch fobs, waste paper baskets.

Craftsman hand bags, unusual and artistic, ooze leather with ornaments of beaten brass.

Imported leather novelties, such as manicule sets, travelers' cigar cases, folding slippers and brush sets. A wealth of suggestions here for every member of the family.

Old Dutch glassware, faithful copies of the wonderful antique Dutch glassware, also copies of English antiques.

Pottery, both "Van Briggel" and "Royal Doulton."

Trays, both tapestry and tile.

Hand colored mottos, something to suit every fancy.

Kodaks. For a boy or girl a kodak is the ideal Christmas gift. You will find here a complete stock of Eastman Kodaks—"Brownies" at \$1.00 to \$12.00; Box Kodaks \$5.00 to \$12.00; Folding Pocket Kodaks \$10.00 to \$55.00. In addition, kodak albums of all kinds, kodak developing tanks, film books, and other accessories for the kodak enthusiast.

Safety razors. We are agents for the "Gillette," "Durham Duplex" and "Auto Strop," any one of which will please a man.

**FELDMAN'S**  
308 San Antonio Street